

Agricultural Marketing Service, USDA

§ 52.1668

(2) Is within the limits for defects as classified in Table I and specified in Tables II and III.

(c) "Substandard" is the quality of frozen peas that fail to meet the requirements for U.S. Grade B.

§ 52.1667 Factors of quality.

(a) The grade of a sample of frozen peas is based on compliance with the prerequisites specified in § 52.1666 and with limits for the following quality factors:

(1) Dissimilar varieties;

(2) Harmless extraneous vegetable material;

(3) Blemished units;

(4) Shriveled units; and

(5) Color attributes.

§ 52.1668 Classification of defects and grade compliance.

(a) Defects are classified as "minor", "major", "severe", or "critical". Each "X" mark in Table I represents "one defect".

(b) Classification of defects:

TABLE I

Quality factors	Defects	Classification			
		Minor	Major	Severe	Critical
Dissimilar varieties	Each unit ¹	X	X.
Harmless extraneous vegetable material	Class 1 (each unit) ²	X	
	Class 2 (each unit)	
Blemished	Each unit	X	
Shriveleddo	X	

¹Not applicable to "mixed" types.

²Not applicable to "snaps" in the style of "frozen peas with snaps."

(c) Grade compliance: